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Medical Missionary Awarded Degree



Dr. Henry Farrar and his wife Grace listen attentively as President Clifton L. Ganus, Jr. confers the honorary doctor of laws degree upon the Harding alumnus. The medical doctor has spent seven years attending to the needs of the inhabitants of Nigeria in western Africa.

Henry Farrar, M.D., F.A.C.S., a former medical missionary in Nigeria, was awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws degree during Harding's summer commencement exercises August 10.

The Harding alumnus has made two trips to Nigeria, spending a total of seven years in the African country. He is currently a surgeon with the Searcy Medical Center, Professional Association.

During the commencement exercises 99 graduates were awarded degrees. Jim Bill McInteer, minister of Nashville's West End Church of Christ and a member of Harding's Board of Trustees, delivered the commencement address.

In awarding the honorary doctorate, Dr. Clifton L. Ganus said, "Dr. Farrar is most deserving of the honor being bestowed upon him by Harding College. He has served long and effectively in a difficult mission field and has earned the love and respect of multitudes as he cared for both their physical and spiritual well beings."

The 46-year-old Nashville, Tenn. native attended Harding for three years, 1944 to 1947, before he transferred to the University of Tennessee at Knoxville to facilitate his entrance into the University of Tennessee Medical School.

He graduated from the Knoxville extension

with a B.A. in 1948 and earned his M.S. from the same institution a year later. After his internship at the Tampa, Fla. Municipal Hospital, Farrar was granted the M.D. degree from the University of Tennessee Medical School at Memphis and was chosen for the Verstandig Award as the graduate most deserving of the degree.

Farrar also served two years as an officer in the U. S. Public Health Service and five years as a surgical trainee at hospitals in Harlan, Ky. and Winston-Salem, N.C. In 1964 he became a diplomate of the American Board of Surgery and was selected as a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons in the same year.

The spiritually-minded Farrar was finally prepared for his chosen field as a medical missionary. He left the United States in 1964 for Nigeria where he soon established the 50-bed Nigerian Christian Hospital in the city of Aba, but the country's civil war brought an abrupt end to his work and forced him to return to the states.

With the conclusion of the Nigerian conflict in 1970, Farrar was allowed to return to the African nation under the sponsorship of the Kaiser International Foundation in cooperation with the U.S. AID program. He was named head of the medical team selected

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The Age of Crisis . . . October 3-6

Lectureship Program Announced

Presentations by 34 speakers will highlight Harding's 1973 Lectureship program October 3-6. The theme of the annual event is "The Age of Crisis."

Traditionally the Lectureship has been held during Thanksgiving week, but the scheduling of this year's program for October will break that tradition. In addition to the change in time, the format of the program has been altered to provide participants with a more interesting program.

The opening day (Wednesday) has been designated as "youth day." The day's activities have been oriented toward the problems of youth in "The Age of Crisis."

Lectures on the final day of Lectureship have been planned to relate to home and family relations. Another new feature of the annual event is the open forum session which has been scheduled during the afternoon sessions.

Theme lectures and their topics will include Terry Smith, "Christ is the Answer;" Doug Kostowski, "Crisis Facing Our Youth;" John Wilson, "Youth Faces Crises;" Eddie Cloer,

"The Moral Crisis;" Pat McGee, "Crises in Personal Commitment;" Rees Bryant, "Meeting Crises in Our Personal Lives;"

Wyatt Sawyer, "Crisis on Biblical Authority;" Albert Lemmons, "The Fellowship-Brotherhood Authority;" George Benson, "Crises in Christian Education Through the Past 50 Years;" Jim Bill McInteer, "The Crisis Facing the Home;" and Clifton L. Ganus, "Confronting Crises in Today's Education."

Participating in theme forums will be Bill Baker, James L. May and Jack Gray, "Doctrinal Crises;" Bill Jones, Martel Pace and Jimmy Allen, "Unity or Division, A Crisis;" Mike Sinapiades, Bob Hare and Joe Hacker, "The Crises on the Mission Field;" and G.W. Allison, Rubel Shelly and Charles Hodge, "The Crisis of Two Extremes."

To add emphasis to the Lectureship eleven classes have been scheduled to explore various topics within the general theme of the four-day program. Conducting the classes will be Owen Olbricht, "Campaigning for Christ;" John Davis, "Helping Others Through Their Crises;" Hershel Dyer, "Effective Leadership, A Must for Our Churches;" King Buchanan, "Meeting the Crisis of the Preacher Shortage;" Ed Sanders, "Crises in the Life of Paul;" Delmar Owens, "The Church, a History of Crises;"

Carl Cheatham, "Crises on the University Campus;" Hilda Vanderpool, "The Liberated Christian Woman;" Mary Nell Richardson, "The

Christian Wife and Mother;" Allan Isom, "The Christian Husband and Father;" and Jim Woodroof, "The Start of a Home."

Two special meetings have been scheduled during the Lectureship, the 20TH CENTURY CHRISTIAN luncheon and the Preacher-Elder dinner on October 5. Dr. George S. Benson will speak at the evening dinner.

Expansion Begins

College construction workers will have a busy school year, according to tentative plans announced by Lott Tucker, vice president for finance.

During the school term construction is scheduled to begin on an addition to the Bible building and a new women's residence hall. If funds are available, additional apartments for married students will be built. Plans also call for the renovation of the home economics building.

Construction on the Bible building addition was scheduled to begin in September. Tucker indicated the project would take approximately nine months to complete. The two-story structure is to be erected directly

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Students had been on the campus a few days and already were searching their mailboxes for letters from home. Senior Elaine Shipp found such an epistle. Fall registration did not close before the BULLETIN went to press, but unofficially, more than 2,300 students had enrolled for the fall semester. A complete enrollment analysis will appear in next month's publication.

Gift Fair

During Lectureship week Associated Women for Harding will sponsor the organization's annual Gift Fair.

The event will be held October 4-5 in Stevens Art Center on the Harding Campus. Mrs. Edmond Wilson, an instructor in home economics at Harding, is serving as chairman of the 1973 Fair.

A New School Year Begins

How wonderful it is to experience the opening of a new school year when more than 2,300 college students from 48 states and 15 foreign countries come for a Christian education. It is also encouraging to be "bursting at the seams" when so many institutions are experiencing a decline in student population. We are very grateful for the confidence and support of so many friends who help to make it all possible.

It is good to know that our brethren all over America are becoming more interested in Christian education. They realize that the three R's — Reading, 'Riting and 'Rithmetic — alone are not enough but that a fourth R — Righteousness — must be added to prepare our youth well for this life and

for eternity. Harding College is deeply committed to academic excellence and to physical development but the Bible is her number one textbook and moral and spiritual values are emphasized.

A few months ago the American Association of University Professors in its 59th Annual Meeting in St. Louis deplored the Watergate affair and "the breakdown in law and order, the decay of public morality and the excessive permissiveness of which this incident is symptomatic." They confessed that education had failed to inculcate morality and integrity in those who participated in the scandal. They urged professors to dedicate themselves to trying harder to steer this generation of students away from a life of crime and toward an enhanced respect for the constitution, justice and ethics."

How true it is that education and life without righteousness are wholly inadequate. A Chinese proverb stated that righteousness in the heart brings about beauty in the character, harmony in the home, order in the nation and peace in the world. The Hawaiians say "Ua Mau Ke Ea O Ka Aina I Ka Pono" which is interpreted, "The Life of the Land is Preserved in Righteousness." A Japanese senior at Harding called Christianity the roots of the tree of Western Civilization, without which it would not long stand. Alexis de Tocqueville, an astute Frenchman who visited and studied the United States very thoroughly in the 1830's, said, "America is great because America is good; when America ceases to be good, she will cease to be great." All of these emphasize the great importance of character and morality in the foundation of a good life. Without integrity neither an individual nor a nation can long exist.

George Washington, in his farewell address, said, "Of all the dispositions and habits which led to political prosperity, religion and morality are indispensable supports . . . And let us



President Clifton L. Ganus, Jr.

together. What other combination would be as effective? . . . What we need is a new generation of obnoxious people, a new generation of bizarre, unbalanced, irrational people, obsessed with sex, angry, irreligious, infantile and crazy. People who burn their draft cards. . . people who attract young people with music and hold them with marijuana and LSD. . . people who proudly wave the Vietcong flag . . . people who aren't afraid to say obscenities on television."

A passive, permissive attitude will never overcome the damage done to American youth. David Lawrence, editor of *U.S. News and World Report* until his recent death, emphasized the need for a great morality if we would have a great society. He said that "to teach morality is the basic need. It is the function of parents, the church and society . . . There is much debate going on as to whether children — particularly those away from home attending boarding school or college — get the guidance they need to face up to the duties of good citizenship in the world of today and tomorrow . . . Parents have a responsibility to teach morality. So do schools and colleges and adult groups."

Harding is deeply interested in the souls of its students as well as their bodies and minds. We are truly "educating for eternity." We believe that our campus is a home away from home, that our students are in transition from the home of their parents to a home of their own. Although we realize that we cannot be everything to them that their parents can be, we are deeply interested in their material and spiritual well-being and we have not abolished the concept of *en loco parentis*. With the help of the Lord we will continue to do our best to help our young people to mature into the kind of men and women that they, their parents and their Creator want them to be — capable, moral and upright citizens of their nation and of the Kingdom of God.

with caution indulge the supposition that morality can prevail without religion . . . Reason and experience both forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail in exclusion of religious principle." Too many Americans have forgotten God and religious principle and have joined a mad rush for material wealth, indulgence and social prestige. Some are moral cowards and appeasers while others are confused and permit rationalization to cloud the issues of right or wrong.

To make matters worse there are those who deliberately try to lead our youth astray and to mire them in immorality for their own nefarious purposes. Jerry Rubin said, "We have put all America on the alert. We have mixed young people, music, sex, drugs, revolt and treason



Dr. Kenneth Davis explains the fundamentals of intonation to students at the college-sponsored Music Camp held in August. More than 80 students participated.

A Cappella Chorus Adds Thirty-nine

Thirty-nine new members were added to the A Cappella Chorus following fall auditions to bring membership total to 100. Dr. Kenneth Davis Jr., director, said the high quality of voices auditioning caused him to extend the number past the usual 80 limit.

Daily rehearsals got underway with the beginning of classes in preparation for the first official appearance during the annual Lectureship October 3-6.

A part of the group will travel Northeastward from Searcy for the fall tour November 10-18.

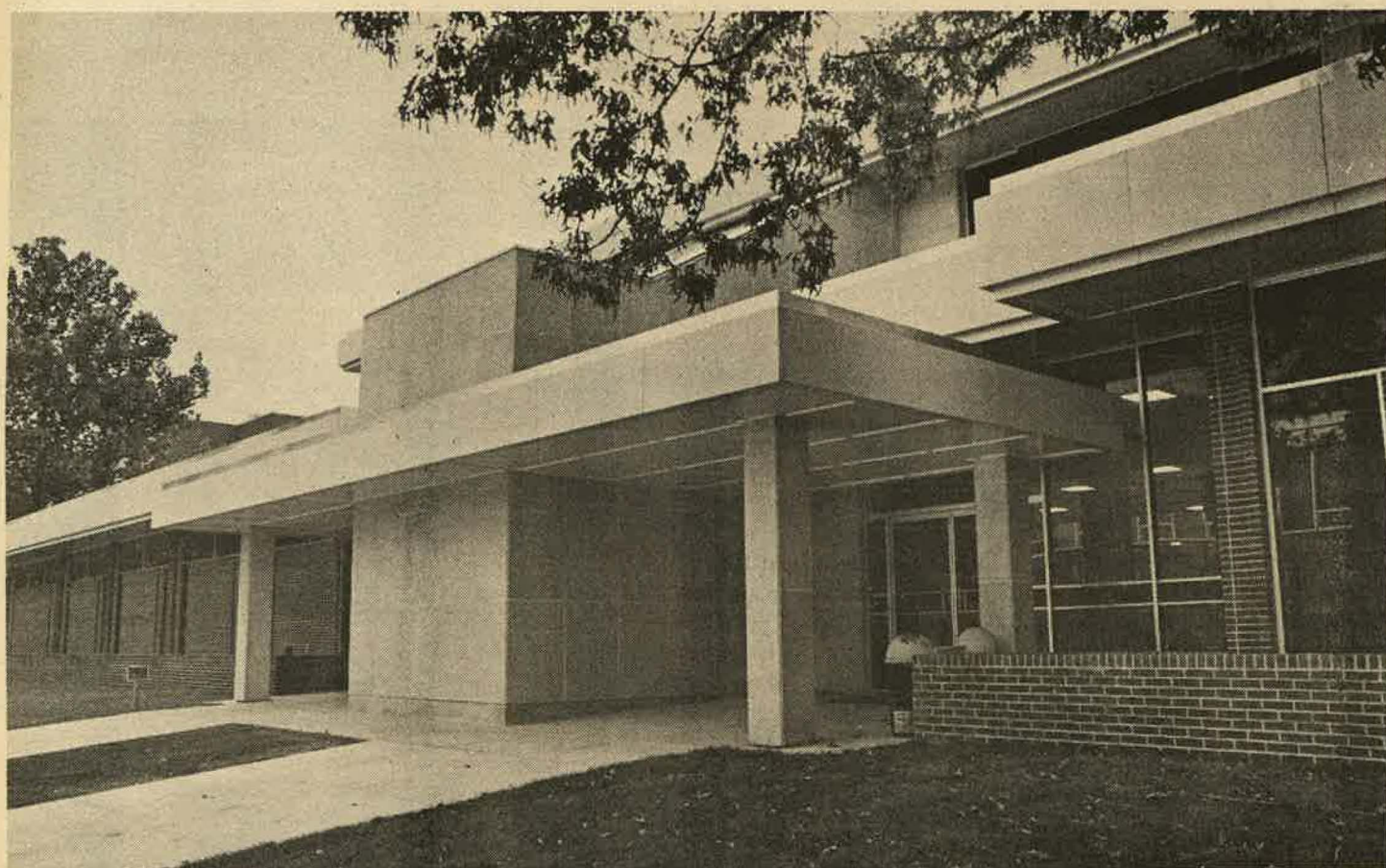
Also, Dr. Davis said the group will schedule a monthly singing for an area church on Wednesdays through the year.

New members include tenors Johnny Baines, of Searcy, Philip Beasley, Greensburg, Ind., Larry Carter, Memphis, Steve DePriest, New Albany, Miss., Randy Lawson, McCrory, Jeff McLain, St. Charles, Mo., David Matthews, Rochester, Mich., John Pitchford, Clearwater, Kans., and David Ruffin, Rockford, Ill.

Basses, Perry Been, Indiana, Pa., Dave Clark, Lacey, Wash., Mickie Cox, Newman, Ga., Michael Daniel, Louisville, Ky., Steve Davis, Searcy, John Eastland, Tyler, Tex., Craig Jones, Memphis, Brian Mayhall, Florence, Ala., Steve Poyet, Belpre, Ohio, Paul Robison, Searcy and Lee Trotter, Independence, Mo.

Sopranos include Claudia Bates, Memphis, Peggy Bunting, St. Louis, Beverly Bucy, Searcy, Kathy Byers, Arkadelphia, Debbie Cunningham, Augusta, Kim Curtis, Hot Springs, Meta Grant, Metairie, La., Joy Henley, Dumas, Michele Pullara, Searcy, Sylvia Rose, Detroit and Claudia Sewell, Dallas.

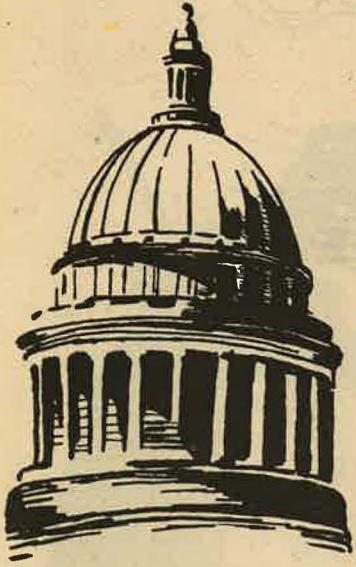
The altos are Linda Campbell and Diane Hedrick, Searcy, Sue Hull, Jonesboro, Lisa Parham, Memphis, Kandi Schmedel, Indianapolis, Bonnie Ulrey, Searcy, Brenda Whittington, Canton, Ohio, and Ruth Woods, Houston.



Construction on the new Hammon Student Center was completed just prior to the beginning of the fall semester. The building was officially dedicated in ceremonies September 14. The facility was named in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Hammon of Gainesville, Fla. The \$850,000 structure houses the college bookstore, the post office, the college inn, a 12-lane bowling recreation area, a small chapel, and the offices of the student newspaper, the student government association and the student yearbook.

A Summer in Washington

Practical Experience Aids Teaching



By Tim Bruner

"I would like for each of my students to be able to see politics in a practical sense in order that they might more fully understand the political process at the Federal level. But since this would be impractical, an alternative means of achieving this end would be for me to work in a Federal capacity that would enable me to gain this insight so that I might share it with them."

So wrote Tom Howard, instructor in political science, to Arkansas Congressman Wilbur D. Mills, chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, last September when Howard began his first year as a Harding faculty member.

Howard and the well known Democrat from Kensett continued correspondence through the year and by May Howard was in Washington, D.C., employed by the Department of State as a Foreign Service staff member in the Bureau of European Affairs... just for the summer.

Soon after he had been assigned a desk, Howard was handed his first

"important" assignment — to draft a letter from President Richard M. Nixon to the outgoing president of Ireland, Eamon De Valera.

"At the time, it seemed to me to be an important project, like a part of history, since letters of this kind were to go in President Nixon's public documents. It took me two days to complete a letter that would pass White House clearance," Howard recalled. "But after a while, these projects became merely incidental to the major tasks that I later became involved in."

Many such letters, proclamations and similar representative project assignments followed. Much of the work Howard did or helped with during his three-month stay must remain confidential and he is "not at liberty to discuss some projects under any circumstances."

The major work that Howard referred to was his three-week assignment to draft a Program Analysis and Resource Allocation (PARA) policy paper for Denmark, which, when paraphrased, meant a highly detailed composition which included the U.S. statement of present and future policy toward Denmark and how resources would be utilized in facilitating this policy.

"My initial reaction to the more important job of a PARA was that this was something which I became familiar with in my master's work," Howard noted. "It was the practical adaptation of political theories like the systems approach. I was really excited about this type of work."

The 1969 Harding graduate was not only excited about it, but he drafted the PARA so well that he received a per-

sonal commendation from the head of the Planning and Policies Office of the European Bureau and was asked to evaluate a new methodology, labeled "Net Assessment," being utilized to determine the total role and impact of U.S. foreign policy with Northern European nations.

Howard's next major effort took him to Capitol Hill where the House of Representatives' Foreign Affairs Committee was conducting hearings concerning American troop reductions in Europe. Howard attended the hearings and was given the job of formulating a paper which was to explicitly describe the mood of Congress toward unilateral reduction of troops and to assess the potential impact of the Congressional mood.

"While the job seemed unimportant as a project in and of itself," Howard continued, "the importance lay in the fact that the administration was looking ahead to the October MBFR (Mutual Balanced Force Reductions) negotiations with the Soviet Union, the Eastern Bloc and Western European nations involved in NATO. The Administration had its own ideas about troop levels in Europe; they wanted them there in as full a force as they had been."

Howard's summer was highlighted by the opportunities he was given to attend arrivals and receptions of foreign dignitaries. The 32-year-old New Albany, Miss. native was on hand at the White House to take part in receiving Leonid Brezhnev, the head of the Communist Party in Russia, the Shah and Empress of Iran and Kaei Tanaka, the prime minister of Japan.

"It might seem strange to say this, but once you've been to one reception, you've been to them all," Howard explained. "But I just couldn't help but get really excited about Brezhnev's coming."

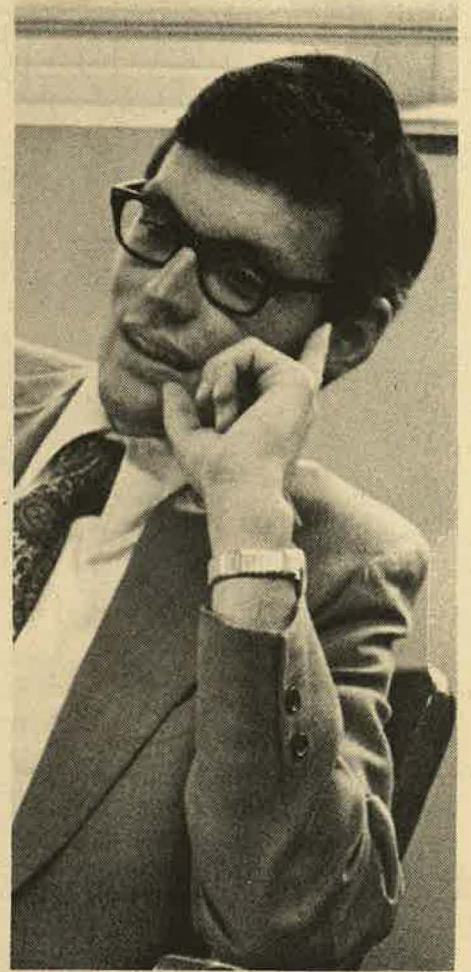
The day after his reception, Brezhnev and President Nixon went to the State Department to witness the signings of the four U.S.-U.S.S.R. agreements. Following the signing ceremonies, Howard was able to meet Brezhnev, Mr. Nixon, Secretary of State William Rogers and Henry Kissinger personally.

"This had to be the peak of my summer experiences," Howard added. "I was so excited about meeting the two leaders of the world's greatest countries, I didn't really know what to say, except 'Good morning, Sir.'"

Howard spent his final three weeks working with the U.S. involvement in the Icelandic fisheries dispute with NATO powers Great Britain and West Germany. The U.S. became indirectly involved since the American armed services operated a strategically located military base in Reykjavik, and the retention of this base was being questioned by Icelandic officials.

After Iceland and the other two NATO countries traded verbal volleys, shooting and ramming of boats followed, and the U.S. was forced into a position of the negotiating for the base retention without infringing upon the intra-NATO fisheries conflict.

Howard's job, since Northern European countries were involved, was to work with the Icelandic Desk officers



Tom Howard: "The experience was as invaluable as a host of political science courses at the graduate level."

in drafting a paper that outlined what the U.S. position should be in the affair and set up the negotiations, which will begin Oct. 1 if the White House approves the paper. White House clearance is still pending.

"This work was rather climactic for me since it incorporated everything I went to Washington to see," Howard remarked. "This entire incident showed me how U.S. foreign policy is actually formulated and carried out. And my learning experience was enhanced when I got to play a small part in the actual policy-planning stages."

Howard was quick to point out that amid the exciting events of a political life in Washington, hours of menial office work and preparation must precede and follow the very few hours of visiting with "big-name" dignitaries and celebrities at receptions.

"The experience was as invaluable as a host of political science courses on the graduate level," Howard said. "It was a practical learning experience in which several of my preconceived ideas were altered."

"My faith in the U.S. government and the American system has been strengthened by what I saw, heard and helped to carry out," he mentioned. "I met and came in contact with people who were devoted to perpetuating the American way of life through their political offices. Watergate only tells part of the story and only brings out the political corruption involving just a small minority."

Howard, his wife, Patsy, and their three daughters, Cindy, age 9, Christi, age 4, and Beth, age 2, were able to visit all the well known sights of Washington. Howard was also able to preach on several occasions in the D.C. and Virginia area.

"I still wish the political science students at Harding could experience the practical application of government like I did," concluded Howard, "but maybe now I will be able to teach in a way that they can understand the functioning of the political system more accurately."



During his stay in Washington, D.C., Howard had an opportunity to work with Scott George (l), Director of the Office of Northern European Affairs in the Department of State. Of particular concern to them were the fishing disputes between NATO powers and Iceland.

MY FAIR LADY

Cast Selected for Homecoming Musical

"My Fair Lady," the longest running production in Broadway history, is to be presented by the speech and music departments during Homecoming weekend, November 1, 2 and 3 at 8:00 p.m. The musical, based on Bernard Shaw's "Pygmalion," has been viewed by millions around the world. The performance of this 45-member cast should be one of Harding's most extravagant theatrical productions.

Glenn Greenville, a senior from Colorado Springs, Colo., will impersonate the "distinguished phonetician," Henry Higgins. A major in Missions and English, Glenn has performed in several theatrical productions since coming to Harding. He also served as a Mission Intern to Augsburg, Germany, in the summer of 1972.

Portraying Eliza Doolittle will be

Peggy Bunting, a freshman from St. Louis, Mo. Peggy is a music education major, a member of the Thespians and a graduate of Mehlville High School.

Directed by Robert West, "My Fair Lady" has the largest cast of any Harding theatre production ever. Morris Ellis is the technical director and the music will be directed by Jeff Hopper, president of the A Cappella Chorus.

Other members of the cast are: Gina Little, of North Little Rock, Ark.; Eric Manlove, Wichita, Kan.; Billy Pullen, Greenwood Springs, Miss.; Jo Stafford, Granby, Mo.; Chuck Starks, Florissant, Mo.; David Ruffin, Rockford, Ill.; Mike Adams, Malden, Mo.; Caroline Rouras, Glen Falls, N.Y.; Jim Caudle, Oakland, Calif.; Jeff McLain, St. Charles, Mo.; Mike Fowler, Woodland,

Calif.; Terry Beck, Irving, Tex.; Tom Clifford, Valparaiso, Ind.; Tom Gates, N. Little Rock, Ark.; David Campbell, Searcy, Ark.; Randy Toye, Flint, Mich.; Brant Bryan, Florence, Ala.

Those portraying the four maids are: Stacey Ellmore, Orange, Calif.; Debbie Dillard, Tempe, Az.; Ann Ulrey, Searcy, Ark.; and Nancy Schreiber, of Bloomington, Ind.

The remaining players include: Ruth Woods of Houston, Tex.; Robin Miller, Pasadena, Tex.; Dan Caldwell, Little Rock, Ark.; Rod Ross, Baltimore, Ohio; Earle West, Silver Springs, Md.; Kathy Steffins, Monroe, La.; Minter Molello, Bethesda, Md.; Kris Siem, Concord, Calif.; Caleb Austin, Homer, Alaska; Paula Woods, Evansville, Ind.; Betty Martin, Nashville, Tenn.; Terri Hallford, Houston, Tex.; Miriam Pitts, San Jose, Calif.; Sherri Balcom, New Orleans, La.; Cindy Alsabrook, Richardson, Tex.; Ronda Campbell, Newport, Ark.; and Linda Campbell of Searcy, Ark.

Tickets will be sold for \$2.50 for adults and \$1.25 for children under 12. All performances will be held in the Main Auditorium.

Business Graduates Join Elite Group

Two recent graduates have joined a select group of Harding's alumni by successfully passing all four parts of the Certified Public Accountant's exam on their initial attempt at taking the exam.

Mark Wallis and Virgil Barnard joined the list of 11 other business and accounting graduates to achieve the distinction.

Wallis, a 1972 graduate, passed the exam in November. He was a member of Harding's business team which became the first two-time winner at the Emory University Business Game and Conference.

Barnard's achievement came while he was still a senior in college. He passed the exam before he graduated in May, 1973.

Both Wallis and Barnard are employed by Alford, Meroney & Company in Dallas. Dale Pickens (BA '71) and Suzanne Waller (BA '71), who previously achieved this distinction, are also employed by Alford, Meroney & Company in Dallas.

Three other Harding alumni completed parts of the CPA exam during the May examination period. Ron Wages, Bob White and Layton McCown have completed requirements for the CPA certificate.

White and McCown are employed by Arthur Anderson & Company in Atlanta and Memphis, respectively. Wages is an accountant for Alford, Meroney & Company in Dallas.



Doctorate . . .

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to re-activate the Post Harcourt Hospital which had been destroyed during the war.

In 1971 Farrar was transferred to the Nigerian Christian Hospital which required total re-activating due to war looting. The newly re-opened hospital served a primitive area with an approximate population of 100,000 people.

As the only M.D. in the area, Farrar operated the 50-bed hospital with an average daily in-patient load of 70 people as well as making an average of 4,500 to 5,000 out-patient visits and 125 surgeries per month. He still serves as a charter member of the African Christian Hospitals Foundation to oversee the continuation of Christian Hospitals.

Despite his overloaded doctor's schedule, Farrar preached two to three times every Sunday and held Bible classes in his home each Sunday evening for the soldiers stationed nearby.

The soft-spoken and personable Farrar is married to the former Grace Johnson, a 1948 Harding graduate and a graduate of the Bethesda School of Nursing. She taught a nursing class, ladies' and children's Bible classes in Nigeria as well as being responsible for the first through ninth grade educations of her oldest children. She taught as many as 200 children in the Sunday evening Bible class studies.

The couple has six children. Paul, the eldest at 20 years of age, is a 1973 Harding graduate and has received a National Science Foundation Scholarship for advanced studies. The other children are Martha, 19, and David, 17, both Harding students, and Hank, 15, Lee, 13, and Samantha, 4.

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Mr. Higgins [Glenn Greenville] and Eliza Doolittle [Peggy Bunting]

Businessman's Involvement Spans Variety of Interests

Members of the President's Development Council have long been very active, involved people. In addition to their devotion and contributions to Christian education, they are important leaders in business and management throughout the nation.

Douglas L. Sanders, of Antioch, Tenn., is no exception to the rule. Owner and operator of a mixed-breed cattle farm in Antioch, he has been an active member of the Development Council since January, 1970.

Following graduation from David Lipscomb High School in 1954, he became an electrical apprentice. He began night classes in 1956 and graduated as a journeyman electrician in June, 1960. During this time, he worked on various construction jobs in middle Tennessee.

For five years, he worked as chief electrician for the Metropolitan Airport in Nashville. He then joined with Houston Ezell to form the Eze-San Developing Company, which was contracted to build classrooms, tutors' quarters and academic buildings for Nigerian Christian Secondary Schools. The Company later constructed a similar campus plant in Kalomo,



Zambia, at the request of Dr. George S. Benson.

Sanders was a stockholder in Brentwood Estates, Inc., until his stock was given to Harding College in 1971.

He is presently developing a new business in hydroponic greenhouses, raising tomatoes in a controlled environment in gravel culture. He also serves on the Boards of Happy Hills Boys Ranch, Short Mountain Youth Camp and African Christian Schools Foundation.

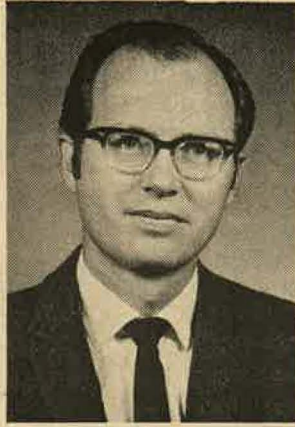
Sanders is married to Ladye Frank Ezell, daughter of Houston Ezell, chairman of the Trustee Development Committee of Harding's Board of Trustees. The couple has two sons, Douglas Ezell and Larry Ted.



Dr. Karyl Bailey



Dr. Faye Doran



Dr. Joe Segraves

Three Receive Doctorates

Three Harding faculty members recently completed requirements for the doctorate degree. Karyl Bailey, Mrs. Faye Brewer Doran and Joe Segraves were recipients of degrees during summer commencement exercises.

Bailey, an assistant professor of health and physical education, received the Ph.D. degree from Texas A&M University. He has been a member of the Harding faculty since 1967.

He received his B.A. degree from Harding in 1962 and the M.A. degree from Ohio State University in 1965. He is a member of the Arkansas Association of Health, Physical Education and Recreation. He is also a member of Phi Epsilon Kappa, a national honorary fraternity for physical educators.

Mrs. Doran was awarded the Doctor of Education degree from Pennsylvania State University. She is beginning her first year as a Harding faculty member and serves as an assistant professor in the art department.

She is a member of the National Art Education Association. A 1968 Harding alumnus, she also received her Master of Education degree from Penn State in 1971. Her husband, Ron Doran, is an assistant professor of biology at Harding.

Segraves received the Ph.D. degree in history from the University of

Kentucky. His doctoral dissertation to complete his degree was a historical study of Arkansas politics.

He did his baccalaureate study at Harding and received the B.A. degree in 1957. He received the M.A. degree from Kent State University in 1962. The assistant professor of history has been a Harding faculty member since 1963. He is a member of the American Historical Association.

The three new doctorates bring to 42 the number of Harding faculty members who hold the educational degree.

High School Day Set for October 6

Harding will hold its fall High School Day on Saturday, October 6. Several hundred students from Arkansas and surrounding states are expected to attend.

"The program is planned to provide the prospective college student with opportunities to see the college as it actually is," noted Fred Alexander, Director of Admissions.

High school students will meet with school officials and entertainment will be provided throughout the day. A football game between the Harding Bisons and Ouachita Tigers will be played at Alumni Field at 2 p.m.

A second Guest Day has been set for April 12, 1974, Alexander said.

Van Tate Joins Faculty As Professor of Missions

Van Tate, a missionary from Nairobi, Kenya, will serve as the visiting professor of missions during the 1973-74 school year at Harding College.

The native of Arkansas has been a missionary in Africa for eight years. He and his family were the first missionaries of the Church of Christ to work in Kenya, a country of more than 12 million inhabitants. Nine more missionary families have now joined the Tates.

Tate organized and directed the Bible Institute of East Africa in Nairobi. The school provides leadership and training for Kenyans desiring to preach. The school presents the Bible training in the Swahili dialect common to that part of Africa.

The new visiting professor of missions received his educational training at Florida Christian College, Abilene Christian College, Harding Graduate School of Religion, Fuller Theological Seminary and the University of Nairobi. He holds the B.A. and M.A. degrees and is a candidate for the Ph.D. from the University of Nairobi.



Prior to moving to Kenya, Tate had preached for congregations in Louisiana, Oklahoma and Florida. The White Station Church of Christ in Memphis furnished the financial support for the Tate family while they were in Kenya.

Tate is the sixth missionary to teach in Harding's MISSION/PREPARE PROGRAM. He succeeds John Pennisi of Sao Paula, Brazil. Other visiting missionaries have included Gottfried Reichel from Munich, Germany; Evertt Huffard from Jerusalem; Joe Cannon from New Guinea; and Keith Robinson from Rome.

Campus Notes

SA Will Host Christian College Conference

Harding's Student Association will host the 1973 Christian College Conference for student government leaders.

The program has been scheduled for October 18-20 and it will be held in the facilities of the Camp Wyldewood Retreat Center. The theme of this year's conference is "Awakening '74; Dimensions to Leadership."

According to Mike Justus, SA president, approximately 50 participants from 12 Christian colleges will attend the conference.

Schools which have already made reservations to send representatives include Freed-Hardeman College, Michigan Christian College, York College, Ohio Valley College, David Lipscomb College, Oklahoma Christian College and Lubbock Christian College.

Expansion . . .

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behind and adjacent to the present Bible department facilities.

The addition will house the various components and classrooms of Harding's Christian Communications Program. The new program is a two-year intensified Bible training series for men desiring to preach. The program will be started in the fall semester of 1974.

Workmen will begin construction on the women's residence hall within 90-120 days. "It will be impossible to complete the dormitory by the fall semester of 1974," Tucker said, "But we do anticipate moving into the facility by the spring semester of 1974-75."

The residence hall will house 300 coeds when completed. The structure will be built on the west side of the campus directly opposite Stephens Hall, a women's dormitory constructed in 1968.

Sixty-four apartments for married students will be built as soon as funds become available. The new units will be located on the west side of the campus.

In May, workmen will begin the renovation of the home economics building. The renovation will continue through the summer and fall semester of 1974. The top floor of the three-story renovated building will house the college's nursing program. The remaining two floors will be occupied by the home economics department.

Faculty Members Receive Promotions

Eleven faculty members have received promotions in faculty rank.

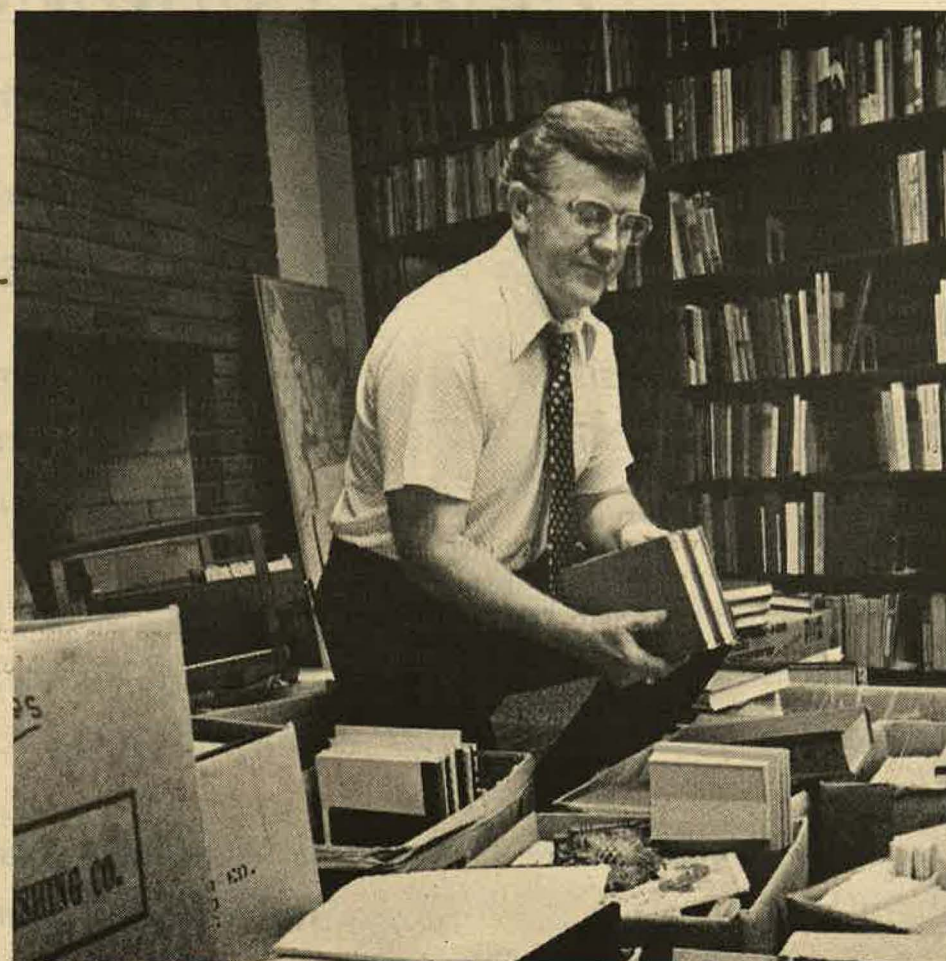


The announcement was made by President Clifton L. Ganus at the annual pre-school faculty conference at Camp Tahkodah.

Dr. Nyal Royse was promoted from the rank of associate professor to professor. He first joined the Harding faculty in 1966. In addition to his teaching duties, Royse serves as Director of Graduate Studies.

Promoted from assistant professor to associate professor were Dr. Bobby Coker, education; Bob Corbin, physical education; Virgil Lawyer, history; Ted Lloyd, physical education; Dr. James Mackey, physics; Dr. Walter Porter, psychology; and Dr. Carroll Smith, chemistry.

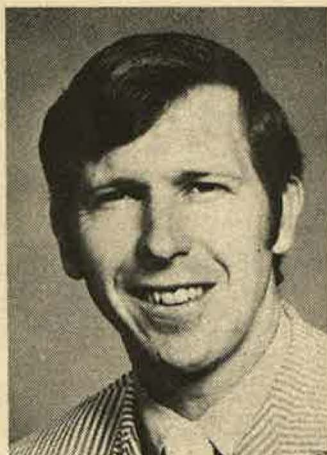
Three faculty members were promoted from instructor to assistant professor. Receiving promotions were Gary Bartholomew, accounting; Wilt Martin, physical education; and Lew Moore, psychology.



Moving is always a chore. Dr. Evan Ulrey, chairman of the speech department, sorts through boxes of books which were moved from his old office in the Administration Building to his new office in the renovated Ganus Building.

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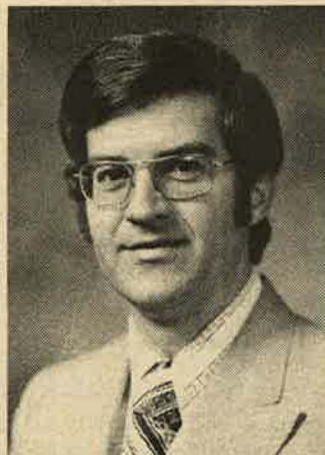
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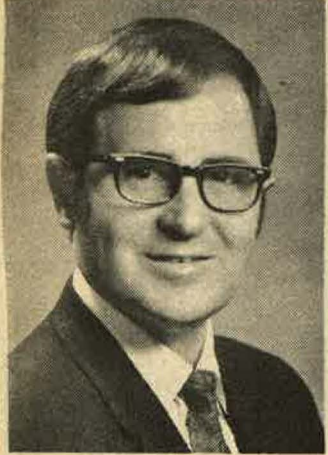
Christ is the Answer	Terry Smith, Memphis, Tenn.
Crisis Facing Our Youth	Doug Kostowski, Inglewood, Calif.
Youth Faces Crises	John Wilson, Springfield, Mo.
The Moral Crisis	Eddie Cloer, Osceola, Ark.
Meeting Crises in Our Personal Lives	Rees Bryant, Lubbock, Tex.

THEME FORUMS

Doctrinal Crises	Bill Baker, Chairman, Little Rock
The Woman's Place in the Church	James L. May, Newport, Ark.
Neo-Pentecostalism	Jack Gray, Springdale, Ark.
Unity or Division, A Crisis	Bill Jones, Chairman, Melbourne, Ark.
Threats to Church Unity	Martel Pace, Swartz Creek, Mich.
A Plea for Unity	Jimmy Allen, Searcy, Ark.
The Crises on the Mission Field	Mike Sinapiades, Chairman, Benton, Ark.
The Iron Curtain Countries	Bob Hare, Searcy, Ark.
Europe	Joe Hacker, Searcy, Ark.
The Crisis of Two Extremes	G. W. Allison, Chairman, Corning, Ark.
Liberalism	Rubel Shelly, Memphis
Sectarianism	Charles Hodge, Fort Worth

COLLEGE LECTURESHIP

, Searcy, Arkansas



Rees Bryant



Wyatt Sawyer



Albert Lemmons



Jim Bill McInteer



Clifton L. Ganus

LECTURES

- Crisis on Biblical Authority Wyatt Sawyer, Fort Worth, Tex.
 The Fellowship-Brotherhood Crisis Albert Lemmons, Paragould, Ark.
 The Crisis Facing the Home Jim Bill McInteer, Nashville, Tenn.
 Confronting Crises in Today's
 Education Clifton L. Ganus, Searcy, Ark.
 Crises in Personal Commitment Pat McGee, Memphis

CLASSES

- Campaigning for Christ Owen Olbricht, Vineland, N.J.
 Helping Others Through
 Their Crises John Davis, Beaumont, Tex.
 Effective Leadership, A Must
 for Our Churches Hershel Dyer, Tulsa, Okla.
 Meeting the Crisis of the
 Preacher Shortage King Buchanan, Irving, Tex.
 Crises in the Life of Paul Ed Sanders, Searcy, Ark.
 The Church, A History of Crises Delmar Owens, Norman, Okla.
 Crises on the University Campus Carl Cheatham, Nashville, Tenn.
 The Liberated Christian Woman Hilda Vanderpool, Fort Smith, Ark.
 The Christian Wife and Mother Mary Nell Richardson, Little Rock, Ark.
 The Christian Husband
 and Father Allan Isom, Searcy, Ark.
 The Start of a Home Jim Woodroof, Searcy, Ark.

Folk Singing Trio Releases First Album

The "Time of Day," Harding's own popular folk singing trio, will release a new album, the group's first recording, entitled "All Kinds of Time," Sept. 30.

The group is composed of Chuck Hicks, a recent graduate of Harding and native of Aberdeen, N.C., now working with the admissions and publications departments at the college, Don Miller, a sophomore general science major from Dallas, Tex., and Jeff Schlender, a junior speech therapy major from Warren, Mich.

Schlender is the "old-timer" of the Time of Day now in his third year. Hicks and Miller are in their second year. Hicks is the only member of the group with previous recording experience, having cut albums with the Henways and the Hicks family as well as a 45 rpm record with his family.

"Cutting the group's first album was a long and trying ordeal," commented the 24-year-old Hicks. "But we were so excited about what we were doing that we forgot to think about getting tired."

John Bob Hall, director of the A Cappella Singers at Freed-Hardeman College, engineered the taping session and advised the group in the musical mechanics of recording.

"We just took our time and John Bob took care of everything but the singing and playing," Hicks continued. "The best thing about the entire session was that we just relaxed and sailed right through most of it."

Hicks, Miller and Schlender have all come from musical backgrounds and

will again combine talents to represent the school as traveling minstrels performing at high school events and youth rallies. They have already traveled to 23 states to perform and next year's plans list a trip to Canada and several additional states.

Featured songs on the new long playing record include "Listen to the Music," "Cowgirl in the Sand," "Dueling Banjos," and other popular songs.

If ordered before the release date of Sept. 30, interested persons may purchase the record for \$5 and receive it postage free, but if the order is made after that date, the price will include an additional mailing charge of 50 cents. For further details contact Fred Alexander, director of admissions.



Don, Jeff and Chuck listen carefully during a recording session for their new album.

Project Stimulates Alumni Involvement

A little-heralded program begun by Harding in 1970 is having an overwhelming response involving graduating seniors in alumni programs.

The four-year-old program was conceived to give the graduates an opportunity to accept the responsibilities of active alumni. The Senior Class Project was designed and has been coordinated by Floyd Daniel, vice president for development.

Harding's Senior Class Project is not primarily a fund raising program, although the graduating seniors are asked to pledge \$1 per week or \$52 annually to Harding. The main thrust of the program according to Daniel is

"involving Christian people in the work of Harding."

"We ask the seniors to become active alumni in three areas," Daniel pointed out. "First we ask them to recruit students actively. Secondly, we ask them to help us find Christian men and women for faculty or staff positions at Harding. Finally, we seek their financial support for the college. When I talk to students I rank their activity in this order because that is the order of involvement that is important to Harding's future."

He explained that seven out of every ten Harding alumni are teachers, preachers or missionaries. The Senior Class Project was designed to allow greater participation by every graduate. So many alumni have felt that the small gift is not needed or even insignificant. The fact of a gift is always more important than the amount. Already alumni, who are missionaries on four continents, are participating in the project.

The project director stated that recent graduates who enter the business and professional fields are pledging two to eight times the \$1 per week which other members of their class are pledging. "This type of enthusiasm has been an encouragement to everyone involved in the project," he said.

After four years the program's statistics reveal the level of involvement that has been generated. A total of 983 seniors were asked to participate in the project and 777 responded in the affirmative. The percentage of those pledging \$1 per week to Harding was an amazing 79 per cent.

Daniel explained that when the project was begun in 1970 it was established as a deferred giving program. In the initial year 112 seniors pledged \$302,000 in deferred gifts.

In the three succeeding years the project was changed to a current giving program. The combined classes of '71, '72 and '73 annually contribute over \$40,000 to the college.

Similar programs have been attempted by other college, but Harding's Senior Class Project has been one of the few to achieve any significant results. Daniel has received inquiries from a number of other schools regarding Harding's success in this area.

"The real significance of the program is found in the percentage of those participating," noted Daniel. "The project has become a real challenge as each class attempts to equal or surpass the participation of preceding classes."

"By participating in the project the former students are keeping in closer touch with the college and are becoming active, involved, alumni, which is the project's goal."

When the idea for the Senior Class Project was first developed in 1970, Daniel admits he was apprehensive. "Based on the response at other schools, we were uncertain about what type of response we would receive from Harding seniors. Looking back now, I can see that the only response we should have expected was 'an unprecedented display of approval.' Harding students just respond that way."

The 1970 Senior Class Project marked the first time that student leaders had been asked to help coordinate a project of this type. Daniel had words of praise for the work of Rod Brewer, Jimmy Carr, Boyd Pate and David Crouch.

"Their leadership helped arouse student interest and create an atmosphere of enthusiasm among their classmates. The work of these four helped ignite the spark that has blazed into a very successful program. Dr. Jerome Barnes, faculty advisor to the SA, was also very helpful in getting the project off to a good start."

Looking to the future of the Senior Class Project, Daniel is extremely optimistic. "We get excited when we think of what this project will mean to Harding when 20 graduating classes are participating in the program. We are seeking active alumni and their support. This type of involvement will be the significance that makes a difference in Harding's future and its second half century of service," he explained.

Homecoming Activities Planned

"Homecoming '73" preparations are moving to the final stages and administrative officials predict record attendance for the weekend of November 1-3 when reunions, football, entertainment, banquets, pep rallies, chili suppers, special chapel services, devotionals and crowning of the homecoming queen take precedence for a while over academic instruction on the campus.

With attendance participation increasing annually for the past several years, additional activities and events and expanded programs have been injected into the weekend plans.

Homecoming events will get underway officially on Thursday at 8 p.m. with the presentation of "My Fair Lady" in the main auditorium. Additional performances will be at 8 on Friday and Saturday nights also. All seats for the show will be reserved at \$2.50 each (\$1.25 for children under 12) and may be ordered in advance from the Alumni Office (See coupon on page 12). Miss Peggy Bunting, a freshman from St. Louis, and Glenn Greenville, a senior from Colorado Springs, have been cast as Eliza Doolittle and Professor Higgins in the musical which will have a cast of 45 and is the largest production attempted by the speech and music departments in recent years.

The third annual Black and Gold Banquet will be held in Charles White Cafeteria on Friday at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$3.00 for the banquet during which the 1973 Distinguished Alumnus will be

named. Concurrently, the student body will be attending the traditional chili supper. A devotional will conclude the day's activities.

Saturday's fare will include Alumni Chapel with the class of 1949 in charge. The business meeting will be in the Main Auditorium. A parade through Downtown Searcy will begin at 11 a.m.

At 2 p.m. the Bisons will meet Southern State College at Alumni Field. The two teams shared championship honors in the Arkansas Inter-collegiate Conference for 1972 and have been picked as the top teams for 1973.

Several reunions and special dinner meetings will be held following the game, including the A Cappella Alumni Reunion which proved to be one of the most popular and successful additions for 1972. Dr. Kenneth Davis Jr., A Cappella director, has invited all former members of the chorus to the Recording Studio for informal hymn singing and buffet dinner following the game.

A Variety Show with talent from both the student body and alumni will be staged in Rhodes Memorial Field House at 8 p.m. Saturday. Admission will be 50 cents, and no advance tickets will be issued.

The final performance of "My Fair Lady" will conclude official events.

Advance orders for tickets for the musical, banquet and football game will be received in the Alumni Office and tickets will be returned by mail until October 15.

Homecoming '73
A Weekend
Of Entertainment
November 2 and 3

ALUMNOTES

WHAT'S NEW

Class of 1956

Dennie Hall (BA) has been named assistant professor of mass communications at Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro. He has taught for the past four years at Central State University, Edmond, Okla.

Class of 1960

Major Jerry M. Figgins (BS) has received his master's degree at the Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

AFIT provides accredited graduate-level resident education for selected military and key government employees in scientific, technological and other fields.

Major Figgins, who majored in systems analysis, is being reassigned to Randolph AFB, Texas for duty as a special scientist. He will serve with a unit of the Air Training Command.

He is aeronautically rated a pilot and has completed a tour of duty in Vietnam.

His wife is the former Maribeth Ballard ('66).

Class of 1961

Charles H. (Chuck) Lucas (BA) has been honored by the Gainesville, Fla. Jaycees as "The Outstanding Young Religious Leader of Gainesville" for 1972-73. He is minister of the Crossroads Church of Christ in Gainesville, Fla.

His wife is the former Ann Traugher ('63). The couple has 2 daughters.

Class of 1966

Capt. Melvin B. Gambrell, Jr. (BA) has joined the staff of a new joint service agency established at Randolph AFB, Texas, to consolidate vocational aptitude testing for the armed forces.

Capt. Gambrell is chief of the test control branch of the Armed Forces Vocational Testing Group. The new agency is staffed by military and civilian personnel representing the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps and combines vocational testing efforts under one administrator.

His wife is the former Nancy Pease ('68).

Class of 1969

Charles T. Black (BS) received the Doctor of Medicine degree from the University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas June 3. He is currently serving his internship at Harbor General Hospital, Torrence, Calif.

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Richard Runions, (BA) was initiated into Phi Delta Kappa on the campus of Arkansas State University, June 26. Phi Delta Kappa is the international professional education fraternity for graduate students.

Runions is also a member of Kappa Delta Pi, a graduate and undergraduate educational honor organization. He received the Master of Science in Education degree in the field of Elementary Administration August 10 from ASU.

Richard is a teacher of the Pollard school in the Piggott, Arkansas school system and is the minister of the Qulin, Mo., Church of Christ. He is married to the former Glenda Pierce (BA).

Class of 1970

Clair B. McKean (BA) received the M.A. degree in Elementary School Administration from Northeast Missouri State University in May.

He is married to the former Fran Shaw (BA'68). The couple has one son, Justin Alan.

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Fred A. Bailey (BA) has recently completed his course work toward a doctorate in history at the University of Tennessee. He is now teaching at Freed-Hardeman College.

His wife is the former Bonnie Pitt.

Class of 1971

J. Ronald Clark (BS) received the MS degree in meteorology from Florida State University on June 9. He began working as a meteorologist for Lockheed Electronics at the Mississippi Test Facility in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi on June 11.

MARRIAGES

C. Eugene McMurray (BS '66) to Ellen Burson June 16 in Mt. Gilead, Ohio.

Marilyn Krape (BA '69) to Richard Rivers December 23, 1972 in Irving, Texas.

Ali Baker ('75) to Gary Beck ('75) July 7 in Denver, Colo.

Donna M. Northcutt (BA '73) to Robert Sellers (BS '73) Feb. 23 in Searcy.

Danny Dean Scales (BS '73) to Debra Gay James (BA '73) May 16 in Elizabeth, Ark.

Linda R. Beck (BS '70) to George Walter Wallingford July 26 in Manhattan, Kansas.

Carol Ann Sanders ('71) to David Shockley Aug. 9 in Warren, Ark.

Michael Leatherwood (BA '72) to Brenda Clements Aug. 3.

Reggy Lynn Hare ('72) to Heinz Robert Hiller June 2 in Vienna, Austria.

Stephanie Green (BA '72) to Shawn Jones (BA '73) Aug. 4 in Memphis, Tenn.

Margie Carol Cooper (BA '73) to Gary Bruce Dodd ('74) Aug. 3 in Huntsville, Ala.

Joe H. Mathias (BA '73) to Cherie A. Holland ('74) July 28 in Sherman, Tex.

Marjorie Kay Patton (BA '73) to Tony Felker (BA '73) July 28 in Searcy.

Mary L. Rogers (BA '68) to James A. Price June 30 in Kennett, Mo.

Lambert E. Murray (BS '72) to McKay Shields (BS '73) June 9 in Oxford, Miss.

Ruth Nonnenmacher (BA '72) to Randy Hogan ('75) July 20 in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Debra Jean Witt ('75) to James Wayne Kuepker June 2 in Bartlesville, Okla.

Susan Kilday (BA '72) to Danny Clifton April 7.

Byrl B. Brockman, Jr. (BA '71) to Patricia Lee Johnson (BA '73) June 1 in Chula Vista, Calif.

BIRTHS

Daughter, Sharon Annette, to Phil (BA '73) and Nancy Romine Aug. 9 in Searcy.

Daughter, Michelle Brooke, to Dr. Wayne and Sandie Smith (BA'66) Propst July 25 in Tyler, Texas.

Daughter, Julie Kay, to Gerald (BA '68) and Janie Mitchell (BS'68) Plemons July 23 in Hurst, Texas.

Son, Jason Michael, to Mike (BA'72) and Diana McKinney (BS'72) Hiatt July 26 in Searcy.

Son, Charles Ford, to Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Aiken ('60) June 4 in Knoxville, Tenn.

Daughter, Kristen Allison, to Allen and Nancy Osburn (BA'65) Banta July 24 in Forrest City, Ark.

Son, Jeffrey Harrell, to John ('73) and Judy Baker ('71) Greer July 22 in Searcy.

Son, Benjamin Mark, to Thomas (BA'69) and Linda Bridges (BA'69) Henderson April 10.

Daughter, Tonya Lynn, to Claude and Linda Gordon (BA'65) Williams' June 26 in Bonaire, Ga.

Daughter, Julie Ann, to John (BS'72) and Patricia Clanton (BS'72) Wright July 24 in Brunswick, Maine.

Daughter, Teresa Diane, to Lowell D. III ('72) and Sharon Shepherd ('72) Ashley June 29 in Booneville, Ark.

Son, Bernard Dow, to Larry (BA'68) and Roseland Merritt ('66) Henderson June 26 in Garland, Texas.

Daughter, Jennifer Dawn to Gregory (BA'71) and Karen Kofahl Aug. 24, 1972.

Daughter, Marla Lee, to Clinton (BA '71) and Janice Cole Hicks July 13 in Dawson, Ga.

Son, Robert Lee, to Dr. Wyatt R. (BS'66) and Janis Algee, Jr. Feb. 10 in Memphis.

Three sons and one daughter, Jim, Jr. (8-20-55), Fred (12-11-56), Barry (5-5-58) and Ginger (12-16-61) to Mrs. J. R. Beasley (Tana McDonald BA'66) — by adoption.

Son, Randall Chad, to Randall (BS'69) and Midge Dolvin ('71) Brannon April 10 in Atlanta, Ga.

Daughter, Laura Elizabeth, to Ron and Sarah Brown (BA'63) Cobb Aug. 27, 1972.

Son, Matthew Macoy, to David ('63) and Charlene McGee ('65) May on January 14 in Longwood, Fla.

Daughter, Hope Elizabeth, to Hugh and Sharon Bennett ('71) Wiley Aug. 18, 1972.

Son, Philip Wesley, to Philip (BA'67) and Sheila Wilkerson on July 12 in Paragould.

Daughter, Holly Marie, to Gary and Joan Manchester (BS '69) Bolon May 6, in Leon Iowa.

Son, Jeffrey Dean, to Ronald (BA'67) and Jane Simpson (BA'66) Lambert Feb. 28 in Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Daughter, Marti Frances, to David ('73) and Carolyn Sue Wright ('73) Copeland July 9 in Birmingham, Ala.

Daughter, Jamie Heather, to Gary (BA'69) and Janice McCluggage (BA'70) Northam July 6 in Columbia, La.

Daughter, Gretchen Michelle, to Ronald ('65) and Carol Sexson (BS'65) Thomas June 27 in Carthage, Mo.

Son, Mark Alan, to Mark (BA'73) and Cheryl Bass ('74) Frost July 1 in Brockport, N.Y.

Daughter, Brandy Lynn, to Ronald Joe and Judy White ('73) Rennie April 11.

Son, Paul David, to Ed and Jewel Goodman (BA'663) Warfield Sept. 24, 1972 in Lancaster, Calif.

Daughter, Amy Marie, to Don and Patty Columbus (BA'69) Berry May 9 in Hillsboro, Texas.

Son, Jeremy Beeson, to John (BA'65) and Kay Darter (BA'66) Sunderland June 24 — by adoption.

Son, Matthew Heath, to Bubba and Deborah Woodruff ('73) Wallis March 4 in Nashville, Ark.

Daughter, Carol Jean, to Carroll (BA'70) and Nancy Harkness Nov. 14.

Daughter, Anna Virginia, to Joe (BS'70) and Gail McKinney (BS'69) Clements April 17 in Little Rock.

Daughter, Julie Layne, to Johnny (BS'69) and Lois Cooper (BA'69) Freeman Feb. 12 in Cooter, Mo.

Daughter, Melissa Ann, to Joe Ed and Patsy Oliver ('64) Leavell Jan. 5, 1972 in Dardanelle, Ark.

Son, Dana Stephen to Jesse (BA'71) and Andrea Little (BA'71) Bradford June 20 at Magazine, Ark.

Daughter, Emily, to William (BA'71) and Brenda Comer ('71) Mitchusson April 19.

Daughter, Amelia Jane, to Gordon and Patricia McNutt (BA'63) Hext April 21.

Daughter, Kitrina Anice, to Douglas (BA'73) and Linda Allee Feb. 4.

Daughter, Darrah Leigh, to Darrell (BA'68) and Connie Grisham ('67) Austin June 24 in Paragould.

Son, James Russell, to Russell (BS'71) and Vicki Downing (BA'71) Burcham April 16 in Columbia, Mo.

Daughter, Sarah Lee, to Eugene ('64) and Doris Springer June 10 in Rayville, La.

Daughter, Heather Michelle, to Philip (BA'68) and Janet Hudson ('68) New March 7 in Memphis, Tenn.

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SYMPATHY

To the family of Thurman D. Hester (BA'50) who died June 23 at Pomona, Calif.

To Mrs. Jack McCorkle, the former Madalon Herren ('49), whose father, Earl P. Herren, passed away May 18 in Mineola, Texas.

To the family of Lt. Paul H. Vaughn ('38), who died May 12 in Sunnyvale, Calif.

To the family of Margaret Howell ('37), who passed away January 19 in Nashville, Tenn. She was the school nurse for Harding 1933-1936.

To Mrs. William E. Clements, the former Wanda Adair ('59), whose husband passed away suddenly of a heart attack April 13 at the age of 44 in Phoenix, Arizona.

To Mrs. Michael Alexander, (Nancy Parks BA '67), Mrs. James E. Warren, (Linda Parks '58), and Leslie Parks ('71) whose father, Oneal Parks, passed away July 1973.

Alumni Association Requests Nominations

Nominations for the 1973 Distinguished Alumnus Award have been requested by Harding's Alumni Association, according to Buford Tucker, executive secretary of the Association.

The Distinguished Alumnus will be honored during Homecoming activities, November 2-3. The executive committee of the association will select the honoree from the submitted nominations.

Candidates must meet the following qualifications:

- 1) He must be an active supporter of Harding College.
- 2) His life must be consistent with the ideals of Harding College.
- 3) He must have achieved a degree of excellence and recognition in his chosen field of activity.
- 4) He must strive to advance academically and spiritually to serve God.

Tucker requested that alumni in submitting their nominations include as much information as possible about the nominee. Nominations may be mailed to Harding Alumni Association, Box 564, Harding College, Searcy, Arkansas 72143.

ALUMNOTE

What you have been doing is news to others! Share with us your recent experiences and achievements. Please complete the ALUMNOTE and return this form to the Alumni Association, Station A, Box 564, Searcy, Arkansas 72143.

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Class of _____ Class of _____

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CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

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Hers _____

CHILDREN: (Names and birthdates please)

NEWS: (Recent activities, job changes, addresses, promotions, births and marriages)

Cross Country: Guarded Optimism

Lack of experience could hamper Coach Ted Lloyd's young cross country team from defending Harding's Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference championship, but a lot of depth and a high-spirited contingent rates the Bison harriers as a dark horse contender.

"The key will be whether or not our returning lettermen and squadmen can fill in and pick up the leadership positions left by our graduating seniors," Lloyd pointed out. "It's hard

to replace a couple of boys who have been the top runners in the AIC for four years," Lloyd added, referring to AIC three-time champion John Ratliff and the 1972 AIC mile and two-mile champion, Tim Geary.

Geary will assist Lloyd with the cross country team this year as well as competing in several cross country meets unattached.

Five lettermen return from the 1972 roster, including two-year lettermen Richard Bellis, a senior from Covington, Ind., and Robert Mead, a junior from Merced, Calif. The three one-year lettermen are junior John McGee of Monett, Mo. and sophomores Rock Meservey of Nevada City, Calif. and Tony Woodruff of Nashville.

Other returning squadmen who are expected to improve the team effort this fall include sophomore Randy Holloway of Griffithville, junior Pat McClafferty of Merced, Calif. and sophomore Ken Sewell of St. Charles, Mo.

Several promising newcomers have the potential to become top team performers, according to Lloyd. Ten freshmen and two junior college transfers will be making strong bids for scoring positions.

Freshman Mark Galleazzi of Merced, Calif. is considered a blue-chip prospect for collegiate competition. The 18-year-old athlete posted the best time in the nation in the 20-mile run for 18-year-olds and under last year. Another Merced, Calif. native, Larry Butler, is a 15:05 three-miler and has the ability to improve quickly.



Freshmen Joe Shepherd and Kent Johnson pace themselves in preparation for an upcoming cross country meet.

Brian Gildersleeve, a freshman from Riverhead, N.Y., has recorded a 9:36 two-mile time and freshman Joe Shepherd of Marietta, Ohio is a 4:27 miler. A junior transfer, Matt Comotto, of Syosett, N.Y. will be considered a top candidate in his first season of four-year collegiate cross country competition.

Other newcomers include York junior transfer Roger Collins of Omaha, Neb. and freshmen David Hamilton of Quito, Equador, Robby Hartley of Sebastapol, Calif., Kent Johnson of Oxnard, Calif., David Nixon of Triangle, Va., Gary Oliver of Jeffersonville, Ind. and Steve Poteet of Merced, Calif.

"I suppose you might say that we're as much a contender in the AIC as any other school," Lloyd said, "Anyone can

win if the boys on the team have the proper attitude and are willing to work hard for it." Southern State and the University of Arkansas at Monticello will probably be the pre-season favorites, Lloyd added.

A new meet on the Bisons' 1973 schedule is the Oklahoma City Invitational. Harding will also host, for the first time, the NAIA District 17 championship meet, subject to committee approval, and the Arkansas State High School Championships. The Bisons will again host the High School and College Bison Booster Relays. This year the 11th annual event is scheduled for Sept. 29.

The 1973 Bison harriers will open their season with a three-mile race against Arkansas Tech and Southern State at Searcy, Sept. 8.

Harriers Victorious

The Harding College cross country team opened the Bisons' 1973 fall campaign with an important 26-33-84 victory over Southern State and Arkansas Tech.

The Bison harriers are sporting a new look after the graduation of four of the top five runners from last year's Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference championship team. Six of the top seven finishers in Harding's initial win of the season were freshmen.

One of the AIC's strongest challengers for the league title, Southern State copped the top two spots in the 3.5-mile overland race, but a pack of Bisons, paced by first-year man Larry Butler of Merced, Calif., finished in the next four spots.

"I was impressed by the potential I saw in our runners," Lloyd commented after the three-team meet. "We had a great team effort and lots of depth. The newcomers are giving our veteran runners a good, strong challenge."

"We will improve as the season progresses," the Bison mentor continued. "Our top three runners in that meet were running competitively for the first time at the college level. But the other teams will improve, too. The AIC trophy will be up for grabs until the championship meet, Nov. 2."

Green Wins Award

Stanley Green, the Director of Public Relations at Harding, was recently awarded his third NAIA All-American certificate for his sports brochures for the 1972-73 school year.

Green's third All-American rating for the year was announced after the judging of the Spring Sports brochures. His brochure was listed first among the All-American Spring Sports publications in the reproduced category.

His previous award-winning publications of the year included the 1972 Harding Football brochure and the 1972-73 Bison Basketball brochure. Green's football brochure also placed first in the Southwest District competition of the American College Public Relations Association.

Since coming to Harding in 1965, Green has received 17 awards for the 18 brochures he has edited.



A hand-carved wooden replica of the school mascot Bison, imported from Germany, is currently on display at the new Hammon Student Center. The wooden carving was purchased by the Downtown Bison Booster Club of Searcy.

Bison Grid Team Rolls Over Texans

A season-opening 21-7 victory over a big Tarleton State University team gave Harding football coaches a clearer picture of what kind of team the Bisons look to be in '73.

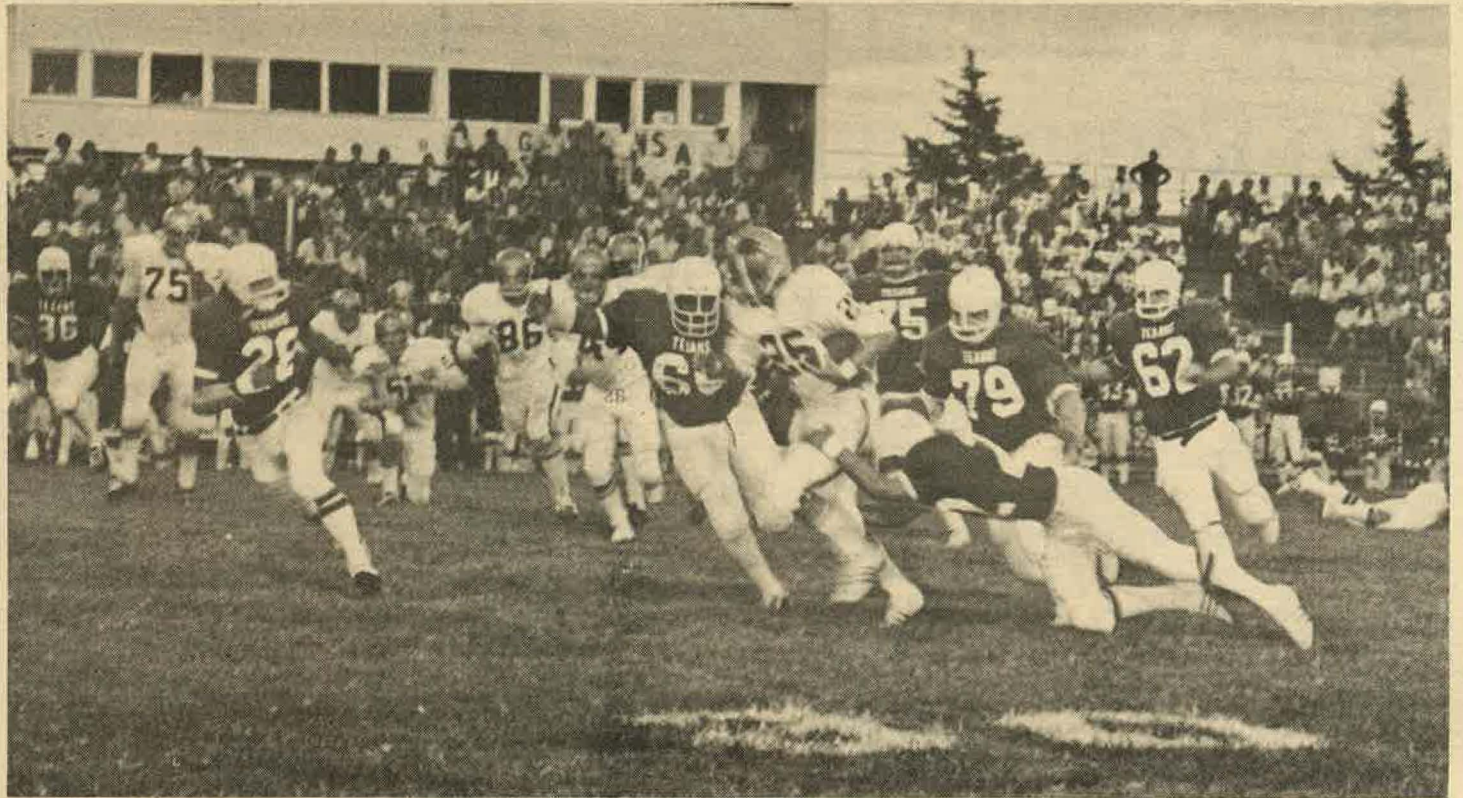
"Of course, we were glad to win the game," head coach John Prock commented. "But even more important, we were able to see how our boys, especially our newcomers, would work together in competition. And now we know we've got some athletes that want to play football."

The Bisons scored twice in the first quarter with a 35-yard touchdown dash by tailback Alan "Snake" Dixon and a 14-yard scoring pass from quarterback Tom Ed Gooden to wingback Jack Barber. Dixon, who rushed for 169 yards in 16 carries, added an 80-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter to round out the Harding pointmaking.

"Our offense showed the same kind of explosiveness that they had last year," Prock added, "but there were some timing problems and these will work themselves out with just plain old work."

The Bison defense displayed a strong effort in halting three of four Tarleton drives that penetrated the Bison 20-yard line. Sophomore linebacker Bubba Hopkins notched 14 solo tackles in quarterbacking the Harding defenders.

"We were especially pleased with the defensive game," continued the 44-year-old Bison mentor. "They had the size and statistics going for them, but



Junior wingback Jack Barber picks up needed yardage for the Bisons in Harding's 21-7 season-opening victory.

our boys just outthusted them."

"We played a lot of new faces," Prock said, "and they made some mistakes. But we expected the mistakes, and they were able to learn from their mistakes and we still won."

The win was somewhat costly for the Bison staff with the injury of starting center Floyd Clark, a freshman, who suffered double leg fractures. Another freshman, 6-2, 225-lb. Allen Jeter, has replaced Clark in the lineup.

Birmingham Reception

All alumni, prospective students and friends of the college are invited to a dutch-treat buffet in Birmingham, Alabama, preceding the Harding-Samford football game on October 20.

The dinner will be at 5 p.m. in the Beeson Student Center on the Samford University campus. President Clifton L. Ganus Jr. will welcome guests and the "Time of Day" will perform.

Tickets for the dinner are \$4.50 for adults and \$2.25 for children under 12. The game will be at 7:30 p.m. at Samford.



Tony Felker

Harold Norwood

Felker, Norwood Join Academy

Two Harding College graduates, Harold Norwood and Tony Felker, have joined the Harding Academy coaching staff.

Norwood, a 1959 Harding graduate, will help with the football team and will be head coach of the Wildcat basketball team. The 36-year-old East St. Louis native coached all sports for two years at Earle Junior High School and five years at Wynne Junior and Senior High Schools before joining the Springdale Public School system.

At Springdale, Norwood coached at the junior high level for two years and then was promoted to head basketball coach of Springdale High School where his teams recorded a combined 28-21 record. He obtained his M.Ed. from the University of Arkansas in 1963.

Felker, a spring graduate of the college, was a three-year letterman on the Bisons' football team. The 22-year-old Felker recently married the former Kay Patton and the couple lives at 902 E. Moore St. Felker assisted Wildcat coaches with the junior high football team last year.

Cagers Prepare for '73-74 Campaign

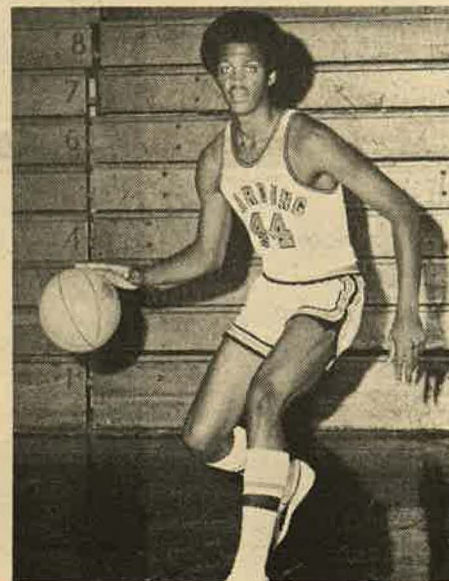
A solid nucleus of experienced veterans boosts a promising outlook for Bison head basketball coach Jess Bucy in 1973-74. Only two seniors, one a starter, were lost from 1973's graduation toll.

Hoping to rebound from a disappointing 7-18 record, Bucy will look to ten returning lettermen, including five seniors, for a strong challenge in the Arkansas Intercollegiate Conference competition and an improvement on last year's eighth place finish.

The Bisons will be returning the one-two scoring punch from last year's team in junior guard Tim Vick (6-2) of Valdosta, Ga. and senior center Freddie Dixon (6-5) of Mineral Springs. The pair finished high in the 1972-73 AIC statistics, combining for a 34-point average per game.



Tim Vick



Freddie Dixon

Vick, after two years of starting experience, ranks as one of the most seasoned backcourt artists in the league. The speedy ball handler topped last season's Bison point-makers with a 17.5 average. He has scored 769 points in his first two collegiate years and carries All-American potential.

Dixon has recorded an impressive .586 field goal percentage in his three years as a Bison starter. He averaged 16.3 points and 10.5 rebounds per outing last season. Despite his 6-5 height, Dixon has the jumping ability to stay with opponents who are taller and heavier.

Other returning starters include seniors Larry Aggas (6-5) of Gratiot, Ohio and Lester Davidson (6-2). Aggas, as a junior transfer from Ohio Valley College, notched an 11.7 average in his first year as a Bison regular at a forward post.

Davidson, a guard from Corning, earned a starting berth late in the season and came on strong with a 11-point average in the last eight games.

Capable prospects for earning important roles on next year's squad are sophomores Gary Baker and Randy Reynolds and junior Randy Mulvaney. Baker, a 6-8 center-forward from San Diego, Calif., turned in some outstanding rebounding performances last year as a part-time starter and his scoring potential improved rapidly through the season.

Reynolds, a 6-3 former all-stater from Camden, proved to be a valuable back-up asset in his first year, coming off the bench to display excellent defensive prowess. Mulvaney, a 6-1 guard from Deer Park, Tex., started most of the season and has one of the best outside shots on the team.

Other lettermen expected to see considerable action include Gerry Kelly, a 6-8 senior center from Hugo, Okla., and Steve Kent, a 6-4 junior forward from Bloomington, Ill.

Possible help could come from several new recruits, including Butch Gardner, a 6-3 high school All-American honorable mention choice from Searcy; 6-3 Jerry Morgan, a forward with a 22-point scoring average at Corning, Ark.; and Tim Bass, a 6-6 forward from Okemos, Mich.

Championship ideas are a long way from the minds of the Bisons, primarily due to the lack of the established "big man," but look for much improvement, especially if the Searcy freshman, Gardner, comes through as expected.

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